ALABAMA

Governor: Don Seigelman Lt. Governor: Steve Windom Secretary of State: Jim Bennett State Treasurer: Lucy Baxley State Auditor: Pat Duncan Comptroller: Kathleen Baxter Attorney General: Bill Pryor

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Perry Hopper

United States Senators: Jeff Sessions, Richard Shelby

Representatives in Congress: Sonny Callahan, Terry Éverett, Earl Hilliard, Spencer Bachus, Robert Cramer Jr., Bob Riley, Robert

Aderholt

Legislature: Convenes the second Tuesday in January succeeding its election for organizational session that can last no longer than 10 consecutive calendar days; annual sessions commence on the third Tuesday in April of the first year of the term, on the first Tuesday of February of the second and third years, and on the second Tuesday in January of the fourth year of the legislative term. Annual sessions limited to 30 legislative days within 105 calendar days; special sessions limited to 12 legislative days within 30 calendar days. Membership: Senate 35; House of Representatives, 105.

Capital: Montgomery Population: 4,040,587

Area: 51,718 square miles (includes 968 square miles of inland

water).

Nickname: Yellowhammer State, also called the Heart of Dixie

Motto: We Dare Defend Our Rights

ALASKA

Governor: Tony Knowles Lt. Governor: Fran Ulmer

Adjutant General: Brigadies General Phillip Oates

Attorney General: Bruce Botelho
Commissioner of Administration: Robert Poe
Commissioner of Commerce: Deborah Sedwick

Commissioner of Community & Regional Affairs: Mike Irwin

Commissioner of Corrections: Margaret Pugh Commissioner of Education: Richard Cross

Commissioner of Environmental Conservation: Michele Brown

Commissioner of Fish & Game: Frank Rue

Commissioner of Health & Social Services: Karen Purdue

Commissioner of Labor: Edward Flanagan Commissioner of Natural Resources: John Shively

Commissioner of Public Safety: Ron Otte

Commissioner of Transportation & Public Facilities: Joe Perkins

Commissioner of Revenue: Wilson Condon

United States Senators: Theodore Stevens, Frank H. Murkowski

Representative in Congress: Donald Young

Legislature: Convenes on second Monday in January, except years following a gubernatorial election, when it convenes the third Monday or Tuesday if that Monday is Martin Luther King Day in January. Length of session is 120 days with a possible 10-day extension upon a vote of 2/3 of each house of the legislature. Membership: Senate, 20: House of Representatives, 40.

Capital: Juneau Population: 545,200 Area: 586,412 square miles Nickname: The Last Frontier Motto: North to the Future

ARIZONA

Governor: Jane Dee Hull

Secretary of State: Betsey Bayless Attorney General: Janet Napolitano State Treasurer: Carol Springer

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Lisa Graham Keegan

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Thomas A. Zlaket

Land Commissioner: J. Dennis Wells

Corporation Commission: Jim Irvin, Renz Jennings, Carl J.

Kunasek

State Mine Inspector: Douglas K. Martin United States Senators: John McCain, Jon Kyl

Representatives in Congress: Matt Salmon, Ed Pastor, Bob

Stump, John Shadegg, Jim Kolbe, J.D. Hayworth

Legislature: Convenes second Monday in January, annually. Sessions are not limited at present. Membership: Senate, 30;

House of Representatives, 60.

Capital: Phoenix

Population: 4,217,940 (as of 1995) Area: 114,006 square miles Nickname: The Grand Canyon State Motto: Ditat Deus (God Enriches)

ARKANSAS

Governor: Mike Huckabee
Lt. Governor: Win Rockefeller
Secretary of State: Sharon Priest
Attorney General: Winston Bryant
Auditor of the State: Gus Wingfield
Land Commissioner: Charles Daniels
State Treasurer: Jimmy Lou Fisher

Chief Justice Supreme Court: W.H. "Dub" Arnold

United States Senators: Tim Hutchinson, Blaniche Lincoln Representatives in Congress: Marion Berry, Vic Snyder, Asa

Hutchinson, Jay Dickey

Legislature: Convenes first Tuesday after the second Monday in January in odd-numbered years. Session limited to 60 days unless extended by the Governor or vote of members. Membership: Senate, 35; House of Representatives, 100.

Capital: Little Rock

Population: 2,350, 725 (1990 Census)

Area: 53,225 square miles
Nickname: The Natural State

CALIFORNIA

Governor: Gray Davis

Lt. Governor: Cruz Bustamante Secretary of State: Bill Jones Attorney General: Bill Lockyer State Controller: Kathleen Connell State Treasurer: Phil Angelides

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Delaine Eastin Insurance Commissioner: Chuck Quackenbush Chief Justice of the Supreme Court: Ronald George

For information regarding state officials and departments, refer to

the front section of this roster.

Legislature: Regular legislative sessions extend for the 2-year period between general elections. Regular sessions commence on the first Monday in December of each even-numbered year following the general election, and continue until November 30 of the next even-numbered year. Membership: Senate, 40;

Assembly, 80. Capital: Sacramento Population: 32,268,301 Area: 163,707 square miles Nickname: The Golden State Motto: Eureka (I have found it)

COLORADO

Governor: Bill Owens Lt. Governor: Joe Rodgers Secretary of State: Vikki Buckley Treasurer: Mike Coffman Attorney General: Ken Salazar

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Luis D. Rovira

Dept. of Agriculture: Don Ament Dept. of Corrections: John Sutheres Dept. of Education: Dr. Bill Moloney

Dept. of Health Care Finance and Policy: Jim Rizzuto Colorado Commission On Higher Education: Tim Foster Dept. of Health Services: Marva Livingston Hammons Dept. of Labor and Employment: Vickie Armstrong Dept. of Military Affairs: Maj. Gen. William Westerdahl

Dept. of Natural Resources: Greg Walcher

Dept. of Gen. Support Services/Personnel: Larry Trujillo Dept. of Public Health and Environment: Jane Norton

Dept. of Public Safety: Ari Zavaras

Dept. of Regulatory Agencies: Micheal Cooke

Dept. of Revenue: Fred Fisher Dept. of Transportation: Tom Norton Public Utilities, Chairman: Robert Temmer Insurance Commissioner: Joanne Hill

United States Senators: Wayne Allard, Ben "Nighthorse"

Campbell

Representatives in Congress: Diana DoGetle (Dist. 1), Mark Udall (Dist. 2), Scott McInnis (Dist. 3), Bob Shaffer (Dist. 4), Joel Hefley

(Dist. 5), Tom Tancredo (Dist. 6)

Legislature: Convenes no later than second Wednesday in January each year. Session: 120 calendar days. Membership:

Senate, 35; House of Representatives, 65.

Capital: Denver Population: 3,301,458 Area: 104,247 square miles Nickname: The Centennial State

Motto: Nil Sine Numine (Nothing without Providence)

CONNECTICUT

Governor: John G. Rowland Lt. Governor: M. Jodi Rell Treasurer: Denise Nappier

Secretary of State: Susan Bysiewicz Comptroller: Nancy Wyman

Comptroller: Nancy Wyman Attorney General: Richard Blumenthal

United States Senators: Christopher J. Dodd

Representatives in Congress: Samuel Gejdenson, Rosa DeLauro,

James H. Maloney

Legislature: Convenes Wednesday after first Monday in January in odd-numbered years. Sessions: Until Wednesday after first Monday in June; in even-numbered years from Wednesday after first Monday in February until Wednesday after first Monday in May. Membership: Senate, 36; House of Representatives, 151.

Capital: Hartford Population: 3,287,116 Area: 5,009 square miles Nickname: Constitution State

Motto: Qui Transtulit Sustinet (He Who Transplanted Still

Sustains)

DELAWARE

Governor: Jack A. Markell Lt. Governor: Ruth Ann Minner Secretary of State: Edward J. Freel Treasurer: Janet C. Rzewnicki

Auditor of Accounts: R. Thomas Wagner, Jr.

Attorney General: M. Jane Brady

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Iris T. Metts, Ed.D. Chief Justice of Supreme Court: E. Norman Veasey Insurance Commissioner: Donna Lee Williams

State Bank Commissioner: Robert Glen Adjutant General: Major General Francis Vavala

United States Senators: Joseph R. Biden, Jr., William V. Roth, Jr.

Representative in Congress: Michael N. Castle Legislature: Convenes second Tuesday in January. Membership: Senate, 21; House of Representatives, 41.

Capital: Dover Population: 731.581

Area: 2,057 square miles (tide-out); 1,982 square miles (tide-in)

**According to the Delaware Geological Survey.

Nickname: The First State

Motto: Liberty and Independence

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mayor: Marion Barry, Jr.

Secretary of the District of Columbia: Kathleen E. Arnold

Chairman, City Council: Linda W. Cropp Secretary, City Council: Phyllis Jones

Capital: Washington, D.C.

Executive Office: 441 Fourth Street, NW, Washington, D.C.,

20001

Population: 606,900 Area: 60 square miles

FLORIDA

Governor: Lawton Chiles Lt. Governor: Buddy Mackay Secretary of State: Katherine Harris Attorney General: Bob Butterworth

Comptroller: Bob Milligan

Treasurer-Insurance Commissioner: Bill Nelson Commissioner of Education: Tom Gallagher Commissioner of Agriculture: Bob Crawford Chief Justice Supreme Court: Gerald Kogan

Public Service Commission, Chairman: Julia Johnson Secretary of Transportation: Thomas F. Barry, Jr. United States Senators: Connie Mack, Bob Graham

Representatives in Congress: Joe Scarborough, Corrine Brown, Tillie Fowler, Alan Boyd, Karen Thurman, Cliff Stearns, John Mica, Jim Davis, Bill McCollum, Michael Bilirakis, Bill Young, Robert Wexler, Charles Canady, Dan Miller, Porter Goss, Dave Weldon, Mark Foley, Carrie Meek, Ileana Ros-Lehtinen, Peter Deutsch, Lincoln Diaz-Balart, Clay Shaw, Alcee Hastings Legislature: Convenes on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in March. Membership: Senate, 40; House of Representatives,

Capital: Tallahassee Population: 13,195,952 Area: 58,510 square miles Nickname: Sunshine State Motto: In God We Trust

GEORGIA

Governor: Roy Barnes Secretary of State: Cathy Cox

Commissioner of Insurance: John Oxendine

Attorney General: Thurbert Baker

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Robert Benham Commissioner of Agriculture: Thomas T. Irvin Public Service Commission, Chairman: Stan Wise

Corporation Commissioner: Cathy Cox Securities Commissioner: Cathy Cox

Banking & Finance Commissioner: Edward D. Dunn State Superintendent of Schools: Linda Schrenko State Commissioner of Labor: Micheal Thurmor

Georgia Emergency Management Agency Director: Gary

McConnell

Adjutant General: William P. Bland, Jr. United States Senators: Max Cleland, Paul Coverdell

Representatives in Congress: Saxby Chambliss, Newt Gingrich, Bob Barr, Jack Kingston, Sanford Bishop, Mac Collins, John Linder, John Lewis, Nathan Deal, Charles Norwood, Cynthia

Legislature: Convenes annually second Monday in January. Sessions are 40 days. Membership: Senate, 56; House of Representatives, 180.

Capital: Atlanta Population: 7,350,000 Area: 58,876 square miles

Nickname: The Empire State of the South Motto: Wisdom, Justice & Moderation

HAWAII

Governor: Benjamin J. Cayetano Lt. Govenor: Mazie K. Hirono Attorney General: Margery Bronster Dept. of Agriculture: James Nakatani Dept. of Budget & Finance: Earl Anzai

Dept. of Accounting & General Services: Bay Sato

Dept. of Business, Economic Development & Tourism: Dr. Seiji

Dept. of Commerce & Consumer Affairs: Kathryn Matayoshi Dept. of Defense, Adjutant General: Major General Edward

Richardson

Dept. of Education: Dr. Paul Lemahieu Dept. of Hawaiian Home Lands: Raynard Soon

Dept. of Health: Dr. Druce Anderson

Dept. of Human Resource Development: Mike McCarine

Dept. of Human Services: Dr. Susan Chandler Dept. of Labor & Industrial Relations: Lorraine Akiba Dept. of Land & Natural Resources: Tinothy Johns

Dept. of Public Safety:Ted Sakai Dept. of Taxation: Ray Kamikawa

Dept. of Transportation: Kazu Hayashida

University of Hawaii, President: Dr. Kenneth Mortimer United States Senators: Daniel K. Inouye, Daniel Akaka Representatives in Congress: Patsy Mink, Neil Abercrombie Legislature: Convenes third Wednesday in January every year. Sessions are for 60 days and may be extended for not more than 15 days. Membership: Senate, 25; House of Representatives, 51.

Capital: Honolulu Population: 1.108.229 Area: 6,425 square miles Nickname: Aloha State

Motto: The Life of the Land is Perpetuated in Righteousness

Or Ua Mau Ke Ea Oka 'Aina I Ka Pono

IDAHO

Governor: Dirk Kempthrone Lt. Governor: C.L. "Butch" Otter Secretary of State: Pete T. Cenarrusa State Controller: J. D. Williams State Treasurer: Ron Crane

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Anne C. Fox Director of Administrative Services: Pam Ahrens Chief Justice Supreme Court: Linda Copple Trout

Director of Agriculture: Patrick Takasugi Director of Law Enforcement: Ed Strickfaden

Director of Labor: Roger Madsen

Attorney General: Alan G. Lance

Division of Financial Management, Director: Jeff Malmen

Director of Fish & Game.: Jerry Mallett Cinterim Director of Transportation: Dwight Bower Director of Legislative Services: Carl F. Bianchi Superintendent of State Police: Mike Fosbury Tax Commission, Chairman: R. Michael Southcombe Adjutant General: Major General John F. Kane United State Senators: Larry E. Craig, Micheal D. Crapo

Representatives in Congress: Michael D. Crapo, Helen

Legislature: Convenes Monday closest to the January 9 each year. Session unlimited length. Membership: Senate, 35; House

of Representatives, 70.

Capital: Boise

Population: 1,163,261 (1995 estimate)

Area: 83,557 square miles Nickname: The Gem State

Motto: Esto Perpetua (Let it be perpetual)

ILLINOIS

Governor: George Ryan Lt. Governor: Corinne Wood Secretary of State: Jesse White Comptroller: Dan Hynes Attorney General: Jim Ryan

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Charles E. Freeman

Auditor General: William G. Holland Treasurer: Judy Baar Topinka Office of Education: Vacant

Director of Aging: Margo E. Schreiber Director of Agriculture: Joseph Hampton

Director of Central Management Services: Michael S. Schwartz Director of Commerce & Community Affairs: Pam McDonough Director of Environmental Protection: Thomas V. Skinner Director of Children & Family Services: Jess McDonald

Director of Natural Resources: Brent Manning Director of Corrections: Donald Snyder

Director of Employment Security: Linda Renee Baker

Director of Financial Institutions: Farah Vega

Director of Historic Preservation: Susan Mogerman

Director of Human Rights: Carlos Salazar

Secretary of Human Services: Howard A. Peters III

Director of Insurance: Nathaniel Shapo Director of Labor: Robert Healey Director of Lottery: Lori Spear Montana Director of State Police: Sam W. Nolen

Adjutant General of Military Affairs: Major General Richard G.

Austin

Director of Nuclear Safety: Thomas W. Orteiger Director of Professional Regulation: Leonard Sherman

Director of Public Aid: Ann Patla

Director of Public Health: John R. Lumpkin, MD

Director of Revenue: Glen Bowers Secretary of Transportation: Kirk Brown

Director of Veterans' Affairs: John Johnston

United States Senators: Carol Moseley-Braun, Richard J. Durbin Representatives in Congress: Rod R. Blagojevich, Sidney R. Yates, William O. Lipinski, Henry Hyde, Danny K. Davis, Ray LaHood, Lane Evans, John M. Shimkus, Philip M. Crane, J. Dennis Hastert, Jerry Weller, Jerry F. Costello, Glenn Poshard, Thomas W. Ewing, Luis V. Gutierrez, Donald A. Manzullo, Jesse L. Jackson, Jr., Bobby L. Rush, John Edward Porter

Legislature: Convenes each year on the second Wednesday in January. Sessions: No constitutional limit (legislation passed after May 31 cannot take effect until June 1 of the following year

unless the bill passes both the House and Senate by a 3/5 vote). Membership: Senate, 59; House of Representatives, 118.

Capital: Springfield

Population: 11,790,379 (1995 estimate)

Area: 55,593.3 square miles Nickname: Prairie State

Motto: State Sovereignty, National Union

Slogan: Land of Lincoln

INDIANA

Governor: Frank O'Bannon Lt. Governor: Joe Kernan

Secretary of State: Sue Anne Gilroy

Auditor: Connie Nass Treasurer: Tim Berry

Attorney General: Jeff Modisett

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Suellen Reed Chief Justice Supreme Court: Randall Shepherd United States Senators: Richard Lugar, Evan Bayh

Representatives in Congress: Peter J. Visclosky, Dan Burton, John Hostettler, Timothy Roemer, Steve Buyer, David M. McIntosh, Ed Pease, Julia Canson, Mark E. Souder, Baron Hill Legislature: Convenes no later than second Monday of year annually. Sessions no more than 61 days or adjourned by April 30 in odd-numbered years; session no more than 30 days or adjourned by March 15 in even-numbered years. Membership:

Senate, 50; House of Representatives, 100. Capital: Indianapolis

Population: 5.544.159 Area: 36,185 square miles Nickname: Hoosier State

Motto: The Crossroads of America

IOWA

Governor: Thomas J. Vilsack Lt. Governor: Sally J. Pederson Secretary of State: Chester J. Culver

Auditor: Richard Johnson Treasurer: Michael L. Fitzgerald Secretary of Agriculture: Patty Judge Attorney General: Tom Miller Utilities Board, Chair: Allan Thoms Dept. of Education, Director: Ted Stilwill Superintendent of Banking: Michael Guttau

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Arthur A. McGivern Dept. of Transportation, Director: Darrel Rensink Commissioner of Public Safety: Penny Westfall

Adjutant General: Warren Lawson Disaster Services, Director: Ellen Gordon

United States Senators: Charles E. Grassley, Tom Harkin Representatives in Congress: Jim Nussle, Jim Leach, Greg

Ganske, Tom Latham, Leonard Boswell

Legislature: Convenes second Monday in January of each year. for annual sessions. Membership: Senate, 50; House of

Representatives, 100. Capital: Des Moines

Population: 2,776,755 Area: 56,275 square miles Nickname: Hawkeye State

Motto: Our Liberties We Prize and Our Rights We Will Maintain

KANSAS

Governor: Bill Graves Lt. Governor: Gary Sherrer

Secretary of State: Ron Thornburgh Attorney General: Carla Stovall State Treasurer: Tim Shallenburger

Commissioner of Insurance: Kathleen Sebelius Chief Justice Supreme Court: Kay McFarland United State Senators: Pat Roberts, Sam Brownback Representatives in Congress: Jerry Moran, Jim Ryun, Todd

Tiahrt, Dennis Moore

Legislature: Sessions shall be held annually, commencing on the second Monday in January of each year. The duration of regular sessions held in even-numbered years shall not exceed 90 calendar days. Such sessions may be extended beyond 90 calendar days by an affirmative vote of 2/3 of the members elected to each house; no limitations during odd-numbered years. Bills and concurrent resolutions under consideration by the legislature upon adjournment of a regular session held in an oddnumbered year may be considered at the next succeeding regular session held in an even-numbered year, as if there had been no such adjournment. Membership: Senate, 40; House of

Representatives, 125. Capital: Topeka Population: 2,475,258 Area: 81,781 square miles

Nickname: Sunflower State; Wheat State

Motto: Ad Astra Per Aspera (To The Stars Through Difficulties)

KENTUCKY

Governor: Paul E. Patton

Lt. Governor: Stephen L. Henry, MD Secretary of State: John Y. Brown III

Auditor of Public Accounts: Edward B. Hatchett, Jr.

State Treasurer: John Kennedy Hamilton Attorney General: A. B. Chandler III Education: Wilmer S. Codv

Agriculture Commissioner: Billy Ray Smith Secretary of the Cabinet: Crit Luallen State Budget Director: Crit Luallen

Policy & Management Deputy Director: Ronald J. Carson Policy & Management Deputy Director: William H. Hintze, Jr. Adjutant General: Brigadier General Russ Groves, Jr.

Finance & Administration Secretary: John P. McCarty Economic Development Secretary: Marvin E. Strong Transportation Cabinet Secretary: James C. Codell Cabinet for Families & Children Secretary: Viola P. Miller

Cabinet Health Services Secretary: John Morse Justice Cabinet Secretary: Robert Stephens Personnel Cabinet Secretary: Carol Palmore (Acting)

Public Protection & Regulation Secretary: Ron McCloud

Natural Resources & Environmental Protection Secretary: James

Revenue Secretary: Sarah Jane Schaaf

Labor Secretary: Joe Norsworthy

Education, Arts & Humanities Secretary: Dr. Marlene Helm

Tourism Secretary: Ann Latta

United States Senators: Mitch McConnell, Jim Bunning Representatives in Congress: Ron Lewis, Ed Whitfield, Anne

Northup, Harold Rogers, Ernie Flecher, Ken Lucas

Legislature: Convenes first Tuesday after first Monday in January in even-numbered years. Session limited to 60 days.

Membership: Senate, 38; House of Representatives, 100.

Capital: Frankfort Population: 3,665,220 Area: 40,395 square miles Nickname: The Blue Grass State Motto: United We Stand, Divided We Fall

LOUISIANA

Governor: M. J. "Mike" Foster, Jr. Lt. Governor: Kathleen Babineaux Blanco Secretary of State: W. Fox McKeithen Attorney General: Richard P. leyoub

Treasurer: Ken Duncan

Commissioner of Agriculture: Bob Odom

Commissioner of Insurance: James H. "Jim" Brown Commissioner of Elections: Jerry M. Fowler

United State Senators: Mary L. Landrieu, John Breaux Representatives in Congress: Bob Livingston, William J. Jefferson, W. J. "Billy" Tauzin, Jim McCrery, Richard H. Baker,

John Cooksey, Christopher John

Legislature: Convenes last Monday in March in odd-numbered years and last Monday in April in even-numbered years. Sessions are 60 legislative days during a period of 85 calendar days in odd-numbered years; sessions are 30 legislative days during a period of 45 calendar even-numbered years. Membership: Senate, 39: House of Representatives, 105.

Capital: Baton Rouge

Population: 4,220,164 (1990 Census)

Area: 43,566 square miles Nickname: Pelican State

Motto: Union, Justice, Confidence

MAINE

Governor: Angus King

Secretary of State: Dan A. Gwadosky State Auditor: Gail M. Chase, CIA Treasurer of State: Dale McCormick Attorney General: Andrew Ketterer

Commissioner of Administrative & Financial Services: Janet E.

Waldron

Commissioner of Education: J. Duke Albanese

Agriculture Commissioner: Bob Spear

Dept. of Professional & Financial Regulation, Commissioner: S.

Catherine Longley

Dept. of Conservation, Commissioner: Ronald Lovaglio Dept. of Human Services, Commissioner: Kevin Concannon

Dept. of Labor, Commissioner: Valerie Landry Marine Resources, Commissioner: George Lapointe Dept. of Public Safety, Commissioner: Michael F. Kelly Dept. of Transportation, Commissioner: John G. Melrose United States Senators: Olympia Snowe, Susan Collins Representatives in Congress: John Baldacci, Thomas H. Allen Legislature: Convenes first Wednesday in December after general election. Meets annually. "The first regular session of the Legislature shall adjourn no later than the third Wednesday in June after its convening and the 2nd regular session of the Legislature shall adjourn no later than the third Wednesday in April after its convening. The Legislature, in case of emergency. may by a vote of 2/3 of the Members of each House present and voting, extend the date for adjournment for the first or 2nd regular session by no more than 5 legislative days, and in case of further emergency, may be a vote of 2/3 of the Members of each House present and voting, further extend the date of adjournment by 5

additional legislative days. The times for adjournment for the first

and 2nd regular sessions may also be extended for one additional

legislative day for the purpose of considering possible objections of the Governor to any bill or resolution presented to him by the Legislature under the Constitution, Article IV, Part 3rd, Sect. 2. Membership: Senate,35; House of Representatives, 151.

Capital: Augusta Population: 1,257,000 Area: 33,215 square miles Nickname: The Pine Tree State Motto: Dirigo (I Direct, or I Guide)

MARYLAND

Governor: Parris N. Glendening

Lt. Governor: Kathleen Kennedy Townsend

Secretary of State: John T. Willis

Comptroller of the Treasury: William Donald Schaefer

Attorney General: J. Joseph Curran, Jr.

Treasurer: Richard N. Dixon

State Superintendent of Schools: Dr. Nancy L. Grasmick

Chief Judge Court of Appeals: Robert M. Bell Insurance Commissioner: Steven B. Larson Secretary of Transportation: John Porcari

Commissioner of Financial Regulation: Mary Louise Pries Maryland Emergency Management Agency Director: David

McMillion

United States Senators: Barbara Mikulski, Paul Sarbanes Representatives in Congress: Wayne T. Gilchrist, Robert L. Ehrlich Jr., Benjamin L. Cardin, Albert R. Wynn, Steny H. Hoyer, Roscoe G. Bartlett Jr., Elijah E. Cummings, Constance A. Morella Legislature: Convenes second Wednesday in January annually,

Sessions are 90 days. Capital: Annapolis

Population: 5.033.100 (1995) Area: 12,186 square miles Nickname: The Old Line State

Motto: "Fatti Maschi Parole Femine" "Manly Deeds, Womanly

MASSACHUSETTS

Governor: Argeo Paul Cellucci Lt. Governor: Jane M. Swift

Secretary of the Commonwealth: William Francis Galvin

Treasurer & Receiver General: Shannon O'Brian

State Auditor: A. Joseph DeNucci Attorney General: Thomas F. Reilly

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Herbert P. Wilkins Commissioner of Agriculture: Jonathan L. Healy

Public Utilities Commission or Telecommunications & Energy

Commission, Chairman: Janet Gail Besser Commissioner of Education: David Driscoll Commissioner of Insurance: Linda Ruthardt Commissioner of Banks: Thomas J. Curry Commissioner of Highways: Matthew J. Ámorello Commissioner of Revenue: Frederick P. Laskey

Civil Defense Director or Emergency Management Director:

Vacant

Adjutant General: Raymond A. Vezina

United States Senators: Edward M. Kennedy, John F. Kerry Representatives in Congress: John W. Olver, Richard E. Neal, James McGovern, Barney Frank, Martin T. Meehan, John Tierney, Edward J. Markey, Micheal Capuano, John Joseph Moakley, William D. Delahunt

Legislature: Convenes first Wednesday in January, annually. Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 40; House of

Representatives, 160. Capital: Boston Population: 6,016,425 Area: 8,093 square miles

Nickname: The Bay State, Baked Bean State

Motto: Ense Petit Placidam sub Liberatate Quietem (By the Sword

We Seek Peace, But Peace Only Under Liberty)

MICHIGAN

Governor: John Engler Lt. Governor: Dick Posthornus Secretary of State: Candice Miller Attorney General: Jennifer Grandholm State Treasurer: Mark Murray

Auditor General: Thomas McTavish Superintendent of Public Instruction: Art Ellis

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Betty Wraver
Public Service Commission, Chairman: John Strand

Insurance Commissioner: Frank Fitzgerald Dept. of Transportation, Director: James De Sana

Dept. of Agriculture, Director: Don Wyant

Dept. of State Police, Director: Colonel Michael D. Robinson

Adjutant General: Major General E. Gordon Stump
Dept. of Management & Budget, Director: Hanet Phipps
United States Senators: Spencer Abraham, Carl Levin
Representatives in Congress: Bart Stupak, Peter Hoekstra,
Vernon J. Ehlers, Dave Camp, James A. Barcia, Fred Upton, Nick
Smith, Debbie Stephen, Dale E. Kildee, David E. Bonier, Joe
Knollenberg, Sander Levin, Lynn Nancy Rivers, John Conyers,
Jr., Barbara-Rose Collins, John D. Dingell

Legislature: Convenes second Wednesday in January annually.

Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 38; House of Representatives, 110.

Capital: Lansing Population: 9,109,000 Area: 58,216 square miles Nickname: Wolverine State

Motto: Si Quaeris Peninsulam Amoenam Circumspice (If you

Seek a Pleasant Peninsula, Look About You)

MINNESOTA

Governor: Jesse Ventura Lt. Governor: Mae Schunk Secretary of State: Mary Kiffmeyer State Auditor: Judith Dutcher State Treasurer: Carol Johnson Attorney General: Mike Hatch

Commissioner of Education: Christine Jax
Chief Justice Supreme Court: Kathleen Blatz
Commissioner of Agriculture: Gene Hugoson
Commissioner of Insurance: David Jennings
Commissioner of Transportation: Elwyn Tinklenberg
Commissioner of Public Safety: Charlie Weaver
United States Senators: Rod Grams, Paul Wellstone
Representative in Congress: Bill Luther, Jim Ramstad, Bruce
Vento, Martin Sabo, David Minge, Collin Peterson, James

Oberstar, Gil Gutknecht

Legislature: Convenes first Tuesday after first Monday in January every year until May in odd years, April in election years. Membership: Senate, 67; House of Representatives, 134.

Capital: St. Paul Population: 4,626,514 Area: 84,068 square miles Nickname: Land of 10,000 Lakes Motto: L' Etoile du Nord (The North Star)

MISSISSIPPI

Governor: Kirk Fordice Lt. Governor: Ronnie Musgrove Secretary of State: Eric Clark Attorney General: Mike Moore State Treasurer: Marshall Bennett

State Auditor: Phil Bryant

Superintendent of Public Education: Dr. Richard Thompson Commissioner of Agriculture & Commerce: Lester Spell

Commissioner of Insurance: George Dale
Chief Justice Supreme Court: Lenore Prather
United States Senators: Thad Cochran, Trent Lott
Representatives in Congress: Roger Wicker, Bennie G.
Thompson, Chip Pickering, Ronnie Shows, Gene Taylor

Legislature: The Legislature shall meet at the seat of government in regular session on the Tuesday after the first Monday in January; sessions shall be limited to a period of 125 calendar days for regular 1972 session and every 4th year thereafter, but 90 calendar days for every other regular session thereafter. Provided further that the House of Representatives, by resolution with the Senate concurring therein, and by a 2/3 vote of those present and voting in each house, may extend such limited session for a period of 30 days with no limit on the number of extensions to each session. Membership: Senate, 52; House of Representatives, 122.

Capital: Jackson Population: 2,573,216 Area: 47,716 square miles Nickname: Magnolia State

Motto: Virtute et Armis (Valor and Arms)

MISSOURI

Governor: Mel Carnahan Lt. Governor: Roger Wilson

Secretary of State: Rebecca M. Cook

Auditor: Claire McCaskillTreasurer: Bob Holden

Attorney General: Jay Nixon

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Duane Benton

United States Senators: John Ashcroft, Christopher Bond Representatives in Congress: William L. Clay, Richard Gephardt, Kenny Hulshof, Roy Blunt, Jim Talent, Pat Danner, Ike Skelton,

Karen McCarthy, Jo Ann Emerson

Legislature: Regular session convenes first Wednesday after first Monday in January. Session adjourns at 6 pm. on May 14. Membership: Senate, 34; House of Representatives, 163.

Capital: Jefferson City Population: 5,438,559 Area: 69,995 square miles Nickname: Show Me State

Motto: Salus Populi Suprema Lex Esto (Let the Welfare of the

People Be the Supreme Law)

MONTANA

Governor: Marc Racicot Lt. Governor: Judy Martz Secretary of State: Mike Cooney Attorney General: Joe Mazurek

Auditor: Mark O'Keefe

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Nancy Keenan Chief Justice Supreme Court: Jean A. Turnage Board of Public Education: Wayne Buchanan

Board of Regents of Higher Education: Richard A. Cro

Commissioner of Labor & Industry: Pat Haffer

Director of Natural Resources & Conservation: Arthur "Bud" R.

Clinch

Director of Administration: Lois Menzies Director of Agriculture: Ralph Pock Director of Commerce: Peter Blouke

Director of Fish, Wildlife & Parks: Patrick Graham Director of Health & Human Services: Laurie Ekanger

Director of Transportation: Marvin Dye

Director of Corrections & Human Services: Rick Day

Director of Revenue: Mary Bryson

Director of Environmental Quality: Mark Simonict Adjutant General: Colonel John "Gene" Prendergast

State Veterinarian: Vacant

Civil Defense Agency, Administrator: Jim Greene United States Senators: Max Baucus, Conrad Burns

Representative in Congress: Rick Hill

Legislature: Convenes first Monday in January Biennial Sessions

are 90 days. Membership: Senate, 50; House of

Representatives, 100.
Capital: Helena
Population: 823,697
Area: 147,138 square miles
Nickname: Big Sky Country
Motto: Oro y Plata (Gold and Silver)

NEBRASKA

Governor: Mike Johanns Lt. Governor: Dave Maurstad Secretary of State: Scott Moore Auditor of Public Accounts: Kate Witek State Treasurer: David Heineman Attorney General: Don Stenberg

Public Service Commissioners: Frank E. Landis, Lowell C. Johnson, Rod Johnson, Daniel G. Urwiller, Anne C. Boyle

Supreme Court Chief Justice: John V. Hendry United States Senators: Bob Kerrey, Chuck Hagel

Representatives in Congress: Doug Bereuter, Lee Terry, Wiilliam

E. Barrett

Legislature: Convenes first Wednesday after the first Monday in January of each year. Session last 90 legislative days in odd-numbered years; sessions last 60 legislative days in even-numbered. Membership: Legislators, 49 (Unicameral Legislature)

Capital: Lincoln Population: 1,662,719 Area: 77,407 square miles

Nickname: Cornhusker State, the Tree Planters' State

Motto: Equality Before the Law

NEVADA

Governor: Kenny Guinn Lt. Governor: Lorraine T. Hunt Secretary of State: Dean Heller Treasurer: Bob Seale

Controller: kathy Augustine

Attorney General: Frankie Sue Del Papa Supreme Court Justice: Robert E. Rose

United States Senators: Harry Reid, Richard H. Bryan Representatives in Congress: Jim Gibbons, Shelley Berkley Legislature: Convenes biennially third Monday in January in odd-

numbered years. Sessions are 130-day limit on pay.

Membership: Senate, 21; Assembly 42.

Capital: Carson City
Population: 1,450,000
Area: 110,690 square miles
Nickname: The Silver State
Motto: All for Our Country

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Governor: Jeanne Shaheen

Secretary of State: William M. Gardner Treasurer: Georgie A. Thomas Attorney General: Philip McLaughlin Commissioner of Education: Elizabeth M. Twomey Chief Justice Supreme Court: David A. Brock Agriculture Commissioner: Stephen H. Taylor Insurance Commissioner: Charles N. Blossom Transportation Commissioner: Leon S. Kenison Bank Commissioner: A. Roland Roberge

Emergency Management Advisory Council: George L. Iverson

Adjutant General: John E. Blair

United States Senators: Bob Smith, Judd Gregg

Representatives in Congress: Charles Bass, John E. Sununu Legislature: Convenes first Wednesday of December of each even number year. Sessions adjourn July 1. Membership:

Senate, 24; House of Representatives, 400.

Capital: Concord Population: 1,180,882 Area: 9,304 square miles Nickname: The Granite State Motto: Live Free or Die

NEW JERSEY

Governor: Christine Todd Whitman Attorney General: Peter Verniero

Secretary of State: De Forest B. Soaries, Jr.

Treasurer: James A. DiEleuterio, Jr.

Secretary of Agriculture: Arthur R. Brown, Jr. Commissioner of Education: David C. Hespe

President of the Board of Public Utilities: Herbert Tate, Jr.

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Deborah T. Poritz

United States Senators: Robert Torrecelli, Frank R. Lautenberg Representatives in Congress: Robert E. Andrews, Bob Franks, Rodney Frelinghuysen, Frank LoBiondo, Robert Menendez, Frank Pallone, Jr. Rush Holt, Bill Pascrell, Donald Payne, Steve Rothman, Marge Roukema, H. James Saxton, Christopher Smith Legislature: Convenes second Tuesday of January of each year. Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 40; Assembly 80.

Capital: Trenton

Population: 7,995,216 (1996 state estimated)

Area: 8,204 square miles Nickname: The Garden State Motto: Liberty and Prosperity

NEW MEXICO

Governor: Gary E. Johnson Lt. Governor: Walter D. Bradley Secretary of State: Rebecca Vigil-Giron Attorney General: Patrica A. Madrid State Auditor: Domingo P. Martinez State Treasurer: Michael A. Montoya

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Gene E. Franchini

United States Senators: Pete V. Domenici, Jeff Bingaman United States Representatives: Joe Skeen, Heather Wilson, Tom

Udall

Legislature: Convenes third Tuesday in January in odd-numbered years; third Tuesday in January in even-numbered years. Sessions are 60 days in odd-numbered years; sessions are 30 days in even-numbered years. Membership: Senate 42; House

of Representatives, 70.
Capital: Santa Fe
Population: 1,655,172
Area: 121,666 square miles
Nickname: Land of Enchantment

Motto: Cresit Eundo (It Grows As It Goes)

NEW YORK

Governor: George E. Pataki

Lt. Governor: Mary Donohue

Secretary of State: Alexander F. Treadwell

Comptroller: H. Carl McCall Attorney General: Eliot Spitzer

Taxation & Finance Commissioner: Arthur J. Roth (Acting)

Health Commissioner: Dennis Whalen (Acting)
Education Commissioner: Richard P. Mills
Transportation Commissioner: Joseph H. Boardman
Environmental Conservation Commissioner: John Cahill
Agriculture & Markets Commissioner: Nathan Rudger (Acting)

Mental Health Commissioner: James L. Stone Labor Commissioner: James McGowan

Correctional Services Commissioner: Glenn Goord

Social Services Commissioner: Brian Wing Insurance Superintendent: Neil Levin Banking Superintendent: Elizabeth McCaul

Motor Vehicles Commissioner: Richard E. Jackson, Jr. Division of Military & Naval Affairs, Adjutant General: John H.

Fenimore V

United States Senators: Daniel Patrick Moynihan, Charles E.

Schumer

Representatives in Congress: Michael Forbes, Gary L. Ackerman, Carolyn McCarthy, Jerrold Nadler, Edolphus Towns, Maj. R. Owens, Nydia M. Velazquez, Carolyn B. Maloney, Charles B. Rangel, Jose E. Serrano, Eliot L. Engel, Nita M. Lowey, Benjamin A. Gilman, Michael R. McNulty, Sherwood L. Boehlert, John M. McHugh, James T. Walsh, Maurice D. Hinchey, Louise M. Slaughter, John J. LaFalce, Jack Quinn, Amo Houghton, Gregory W. Meeks, Joseph Crowley, Anthony Weiner, Vito Fossella, Sue Kelly, Joh Sweeney, Tom Reynolds, Rick Lazio, Peter King Legislature: Convenes first Wednesday after first Monday in January, annually. Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate 61; Assembly 150.

Capital: Albany

Population: 17,990,455 (1990 U.S. Census Total)

Area: 47,224 square miles Nickname: The Empire State Motto: Excelsior (Ever Upward)

NORTH CAROLINA

Governor: James B. Hunt, Jr. Lt. Governor: Dennis A. Wicker Secretary of State: Elaine F. Marshall

Auditor: Ralph Campbell Treasurer: Harlan E. Boyles

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Mike Ward

Attorney General: Michael Easley

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Burley Mitchell Agriculture Commissioner: James A. Graham Insurance Commissioner: James E. Long Transportation Secretary: Norris Tolson Utilities Commission Chair: Robert Gruber Labor Commissioner: Harry Payne

Emergency Management Director: Eric Tolbert Adjutant General: Major General Gerald A. Rudisill, Jr. United States Senators: Jesse Helms, John Edwardsoth Representatives in Congress: Eva Clayton, Bob Etheridge, Walter B. Jones, Jr., David Price, Richard Burr, J. Howard Coble, Mike

B. Jones, Jr., David Price, Richard Burr, J. Howard Coble, Mike McIntyre, W. G. "Bill" Hefner, Sue Myrick, T. Cass Ballenger,

Charles H. Taylor, Melvin Watt

Legislature: Convenes Wednesday after the second Monday in January biennially. Sessions not limited. (Note on legislative sessions: regular "long" sessions during the odd years and a budget-oriented "short" session during June and July of the even years). Membership: Senate, 50; House of Representatives, 120. Capital: Raleigh

Population: 7,431,161 (July, 1997) Area: 52,712 square miles Nickname: The Tar Heel State

Motto: Esse Quam Videri (To Be Rather Than to Seem)

NORTH DAKOTA

Governor: Edward T. Schafer Lt. Governor: Rosemarie Myrdal Secretary of State: Alvin A. Jaeger State Auditor: Robert R. Peterson Treasurer: Kathi Gilmore Attorney General: Heidi Heitkamp

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Wayne Sanstead Chief Justice Supreme Court: Gerald W. Vande Walle

Agriculture Commissioner: Roger Johnson

Labor Commissioner: Vacant

Public Service Commissioners: Susan Wefald, Bruce Hagen, Leo

Reinbold

Tax Commissioner: Rick Clayburgh Insurance Commissioner: Glenn Pomeroy Highway Commissioner: Marshall Moore State Fire Marshal: Joel Boespflug

Game & Fish Commissioner: Dean Hildebrand Adjutant General: Brigadier General Keith Bjerke United States Senators: Kent Conrad, Byron L. Dorgan

Representative in Congress: Earl Pomeroy

Legislature: Convenes between January 4 and January 11 in oddnumbered years. Sessions may not exceed 80 natural days during the biennium. Membership: Senate 49; House of Representatives. 98.

Capital: Bismarck Population: 638,800 Area: 70,665 square miles Nickname: Flickertail State

Motto: Liberty and Union, Now and Forever, One and Inseparable

OHIO

Governor: Bob Taft

Lt. Governor: Maureen O'Conner Secretary of State: Kenneth Blackwell Auditor of State: James M. Petro Treasurer of State: Joe Deters Attorney General: Betty Montgomery

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Thomas J. Moyer

United States Senators: Michael DeWine, George V. Voinovich Representatives in Congress: Steve Chabot, Rob Portman, Tony P. Hall, Michael G. Oxley, Paul E. Gillmor, Ted Strickland, David L. Hobson, John A. Boehner, Marcy Kaptur, Dennis J. Kucinich, John R. Kasich, Sherrod Brown, Thomas C. Sawyer, Deborah Pryce, Ralph Regula, James A. Traficant, Jr., Bob Ney, Steven

LaTourette, Stephanie Tubbs

Legislature: Convenes first Monday in January in odd-numbered years. Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 33; House of

Representatives, 99. Capital: Columbus

Population: 11,151,000 (1995 estimate)

Area: 41,330 square miles Nickname: Buckeye State

Motto: With God, All Things Are Possible

OKLAHOMA

Governor: Frank Keating
Lt. Governor: Mary Fallin
Secretary of State: Mike Hunter
State Auditor & Inspector: Clifton H. Scott
Attorney General: Drew Edmondson
State Treasurer: Robert Butkin

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Sandy Garrett

Labor Commissioner: Brenda Reneau Insurance Commissioner: Carroll Fisher

Mines Director: James Hamm

Corporation Commissioners: Bob Anthony, Ed Aplles, Denise

Bode

United States Senators: Don Nickles, James M. Inhofe Representatives in Congress: J. C. Watts, Frank Lucas, Ernest

Jim Istook, Tom Coburn, Steve Largent

Legislature: The Legislature must meet every year at noon on the first Monday in February. Its session must be finished by 5:00 p.m. on the last Friday in May every year. In odd-numbered years, the regular session would also include one day in January. The Legislature would meet at noon on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January. It would recess not later than 5:00 p.m. on the same day. On that one day the Legislature could only perform limited Constitutional duties. Those duties include publishing state election results and organizing itself. The regular session would resume at noon on the first Monday in February of that year. Membership: Senate, 48; House of Representatives, 101.

Capital: Oklahoma City

Population: 3,277,700 (1995 estimate)

Area: 69,903 square miles Nickname: Sooner State

Motto: Labor Omnia Vincit (Labor Conquers All Things)

OREGON

Governor: John Kitzhaber

Secretary of State & Auditor: Phil Keisling

Treasurer: Jim Hill

Attorney General: Hardy Myers

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Stan Bunn Chief Justice Supreme Court: Wallace Carson

Public Utilities Commissioner: Ron Eachus, Joan Smith, Roger

Hamilton

Insurance Commissioner: Mike Greenfield Transportation Director: Grace Crunican Corporation Director: Jan Sulivan State Printer: Mike Freese

Adjutant General: Major General Alexander H. Burgin United States Senators: Ron Wyden, Gordon Smith

Representatives in Congress: Peter DeFazio, Darlene Hooley,

Earl Blumenauer, David Wu, Greg Walden

Legislature: Convenes second Monday in January in oddnumbered years. Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 30:

House of Representatives, 60.

Capital: Salem Population: 3,267,550 Area: 97,060 square miles Nickname: The Beaver State

Motto: "She Flies With Her Own Wings"

PENNSYLVANIA

Governor: Thomas J. Ridge Lt. Governor: Mark S. Schweiker Auditor General: Robert P. Casey, Jr. State Treasurer: Barbara Hafer Attorney General: D. Michael Fisher

Secretary of the Commonwealth: Kim Pizzingrilli Secretary of Administration: Thomas G. Paese

Secretary of Aging: Richard Browdie Secretary of Agriculture: Samuel E. Hayes, Jr. Secretary of Banking: Richard C. Rishel Secretary of Budget: Robert A. Bittenbender

Secretary of Community & Economic Development: Samuel A.

McCullough

Secretary of Conservation & Natural Resources: John C. Oliver

Secretary of Education: Dr. Eugene W. Hickok, Jr. Secretary of Environmental Protection: James M. Self

Secretary of General Services: Gary E. Crowell Secretary of Health: Gary Gurian (Acting) Commissioner of Insurance: M. Diane Koken Secretary of Labor & Industry: Johnny J. Butler Adjutant General: Major General William Lynch Secretary of Public Welfare: Feather Houstoun

Secretary of Revenue: Robert A. Judge, Sr. Commissioner of State Police: Col. Paul J. Evanko Secretary of Transportation: Bradley L. Mallory

United States Senators: Arlen Specter, Rick Santorum

Representatives in Congress: Chaka Fattah, Robert A. Borski, Jr., Ron Klink, John E. Peterson, Tim Holden, Curt Weldon, James C. Greenwood, Bud Shuster, Paul E. Kanjorski, John P. Murtha, William J. Coyne, Joseph R. Pitts, George W. Gekas, Mike F. Doyle, Bill Gooding, Frank R. Mascara, Phil S. Engish, Robert Brady, Don Sherwood, Joseph Hoeffel, Pat Toomey Legislature: Convenes first Tuesday in January each year.

Legislature: Convenes first Tuesday in January each year Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 50; House of Representatives, 203.

Capital: Harrisburg Population: 11,881,643

Area: 44,820 square miles land and 1,239 square miles water

Nickname: Keystone State

Motto: Virtue, Liberty and Independence

RHODE ISLAND

Governor: Lincoln C. Almond Lt. Governor: Charles J. Fogarty Secretary of State: James R. Langevin Attorney General: Sheldon Whitehouse General Treasurer: Paul J. Tavares

Dept. of Human Services, Director: Christine C. Ferguson Dept. of Transportation, Director: William D. Ackner, Ph.D. Dept. of Administration, Director: Robert L. Carl, Jr. Ph.D. Dept. of Education, Commissioner: Peter McWalters Dept. of Labor & Training, Director: Dr. Lee Arnold Dept. of Health, Director: Patricia A. Nolan, M.D., M.P.H. Dept. of Business Regulations, Director: Barry G. Hittner Dept. of Employment Security, Director: Marvin D. Perry Adjutant General: Major General Reginald A. Centracchio United States Senators: John H. Chafee. Jack Reed

Weygand

Legislature: Convenes annually first Tuesday in January. No restrictions on Session length. Legislative compensation is now \$10, 000 per year and no legislative pension.

Representatives in Congress: Patrick J. Kennedy, Robert A.

Membership: Senate, 50; House of Representatives, 100.

Capital: Providence Population: 988,480 Area: 1,214 square miles Nickname: The Ocean State

Motto: Hope

SOUTH CAROLINA

Governor: James Hovis Hodges (Jim)

Lt. Governor: Bob Peeler

Attorney General: Charlie Condon Secretary of State: Jim Miles State Treasurer: Grady L. Patterson Comptroller General: Jim Lander State Auditor: Thomas Wagner, Jr.

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Ernest Finney, Jr. State Superintendent of Education: Inez Tenenbaum

Director of Revenue: Elizabeth Carpentier Commissioner of Agriculture: D. Leslie Tindal Commissioner of Insurance: Ernest Csizar State Health Officer: Douglas E. Bryant

Commissioner of Social Services: Elizabeth G. Patterson

Adjutant General: Stanhope Spears Director of Public Safety: Elizabeth Mabry Director of Natural Resources: Dr. Paul Sandifer Secretary of Commerce: Charles S. Way, Jr.

Chairman of Public Service Commission: Randy Mitchell Deputy Director of Motor Vehicles: J. Glenn Beckham

United States Senators: J. Strom Thurmond, Ernest F. Hollings Representatives in Congress: Mark Sanford, Lindsey Graham, Flovd Spence, James E. Clyburn, Jim Demint, John Spratt Legislature: Convenes annually second Tuesday in January. Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 46; House of Representatives, 124.

Capital: Columbia Population: 2,150,000 Area: 31,055 square miles Nickname: The Palmetto State

Motto: Animis Opisbusque Parati (Prepared in Mind And

Resources)

Dum Spiro Spero (While I Breathe, I Hope)

SOUTH DAKOTA

Governor: William J. Janklow Lt. Governor: Carole Hillard Secretary of State: Joyce Hazeltine

Treasurer: Dick Butler

State Auditor: Vernon L. Larson Attorney General: Mark Barnett

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Robert A. Miller

Commissioners of Public Utilities: Pam Nelson, James Burg,

Laska Schoenfelder

Commissioner of School & Public Lands: Curtis Johnson

Adjutant General: Phil Killey

Director of Banking: Richard W. Duncan

United States Senators: Tim Johnson, Thomas A. Daschle

Representative in Congress: John Thune

Legislature: The Legislature shall meet at the seat of government on the second Tuesday of January at 12:00 p.m. and at no other

time except as provided by this constitution.

Capital: Pierre Population: 696,004 Area: 77.047 square miles Nickname: Mount Rushmore State Motto: Under God The People Rule

TENNESSEE

Governor: Don Sundquist

Secretary of State: Riley C. Darnell Attorney General: Paul Summers

Treasurer: Steve Adams Comptroller: John Morgan

Agriculture Commissioner: Dan Wheeler Education Commissioner: Jane Walters

Employment Security Commissioner: Hazel Albert

Health Commissioner: Dr. Fredia Wadley

Revenue Commissioner: Ruth Johnson

Finance & Administration Commissioner: John Ferguson Mental Health Commissioner: Elizabeth Rukeyser General Services Commissioner: Larry Havnes

Environmental & Conservation Commissioner: Milton Hamilton,

Commerce & Insurance Commissioner: Doug Sizemore

Financial Institutions Commissioner: Bill C. Houston

Corrections Commissioner: Donal Campbell

Labor Commissioner: Mike Magill Safety Commissioner: Mike Greene

Human Services Commissioner: Natasha Metcalf

Adjutant General: Jackie D. Wood

Economic & Community Development Commissioner: Bill Baxter

Personnel Commissioner: Eleanor E. Yoakum Veterans Affairs Commissioner: Fred Tucker Transportation Commissioner: J. Bruce Saltsman, Sr.

Tourism Commissioner: John Wade

Children's Services Commissioner: George Hattaway United States Senators: Fred Thompson, Bill Frist

Representatives in Congress: William L. "Bill" Jenkins, John Duncan, Jr., Bart Gordon, Zack Wamp, Van Hilleary, Harold Ford,

Jr., John Tanner, Bob Clement, Ed Bryant

Legislature: The General Assembly convenes on the second Tuesday in January of each year and may, by joint resolution, recess or adjourn until such time or times as it shall determine. It may be convened in extraordinary session at other times by the Governor or by the presiding officer of both Houses at the request of 2/3 of the members of each House. Membership: Senate, 33;

House of Representatives, 99.

Capital: Nashville Population: 5,319,654 Area: 42.244 square miles Nickname: The Volunteer State Motto: Agriculture & Commerce

TEXAS

Governor: George W. Bush Lt. Governor: Bob Bullock Secretary of State: Elton Bomer Attorney General: John Cornyn

Adjutant General: Brigadier General Daniel James III Chief Justice Supreme Court: Thomas Phillips State Comptroller: Carol Keeton Rylander

State Auditor: Lawrence F. Alwin

General Land Offices, Commissioner: David Dewhurst Dept. of Agriculture. Commissioner: Susan Combs Dept. of Insurance, Commissioner: Jose Montemayor Dept. of Banking, Commissioner: Catherine A. Ghiglieri Consumer Credit, Commissioner: Leslie Pettijohn

Dept. of General Services, Executive Director: John Pouland

Education Agency, Commissioner: Dr. Mike Moses

Dept. of Parks & Wildlife. Executive Director: Andrew Sansom

Dept. of Health, Commissioner: William Archer, M.D.

Board of Mental Health and Mental Retardation, Commissioner: Don Gilbert

Dept. of Water Development, Executive Administrator: Craig

. Pedersen

Dept. of Licensing & Regulation, Executive Director: Tommy V. Smith

Dept. of Public Safety, Director: Dudley Thomas Dept. of Human Services, Commissioner: Eric M. Bost Alcoholic Beverage Commission, Administrator: Doyne Bailey Youth Commission, Executive Director: Steve Robinson United States Senators: Phil Gramm, Kay Baily Hutchison Representatives in Congress: Bill Archer, Richard "Dick" Armey, Joe L. Barton, Ken Bentsen, Henry Bonilla, Kevin Brady, Larry Combest, Tom DeLay, Lloyd Doggett, Chet Edwards, Martin Frost, Henry B. Gonzalez, Kay Granger, Gene Green, Ralph M. Hall, Ruben Hinojosa, Eddie Bernice Johnson, Sam Johnson, Nicholas "Nick" V. Lampson, Sheila Jackson Lee, Solomon P. Ortiz, Ron Paul, Silvestre Reyes, Ciro D. Rodriguez, Max Sandlin, Pete Sessions, Lamar Smith, Charles W. Stenholm, William M.

"Mae" Thornberry, Jim Turner

Legislature: Convenes second Tuesday in January in oddnumbered years. Sessions limited to 140 days. Membership:

Senate, 31; House of Representatives, 150.

Capital: Austin

Population: 18,898,391 (1996 Census)

Area: 261,914 square miles Nickname: Lone Star State

Motto: Friendship

UTAH

Governor: Michael O. Leavitt Lt. Governor: Olene S. Walker Attorney General: Jan Graham Treasurer: Edward T. Alter Auditor: Auston G. Johnson

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Steven O. Laing Chief Justice Supreme Court: Richard C. Howe Insurance Commissioner: Merwin Stewart Civil Defense Director: Lorayne Tempest

United States Senators: Orrin G. Hatch, Bob Bennett

Representatives in Congress: James V. Hansen, Merrill Cook,

Chris Cannon

Legislature: Convenes third Monday in January. Sessions limited to 45 days. Membership: Senate, 29; House of Representatives,

75.

Capital: Salt Lake City Population: 2,833,200 Area: 84,990 square miles Nickname: Beehive State

Motto: Industry

VERMONT

Governor: Howard Dean Lt. Governor: Douglas Racine

Secretary of State: Deborah MArkowitz Treasurer: James Douglas Auditor of Accounts: Edward Flanagen Attorney General: William Sorrell

Chief Justice Supreme Court: Jeffrey Amestoy Commissioner of Education: Marc Hull Commissioner of Agriculture: Leon Graves

Commissioner of Dept. of Public Service: Richard Sedano Commissioner of Banking & Insurance: Elizabeth R. Costle Commissioner of Transportation: Glenn Gershaneck

Commissioner of Corrections: John C. Gorczyk Commissioner of Social Welfare: Jane Kitchel Commissioner of Public Safety: A. James Walton, Jr.

Adjutant General: Martha Rainville

United States Senators: Patrick J. Leahy, James M Jeffords

Representative of Congress: Bernie Sanders

Legislature: Convenes Wednesday after first Monday of January biennially. Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 30; House of Representatives, 150.

Capital: Montpelier Population: 588,654 Area: 9,609 square miles Nickname: Green Mountain State Motto: Freedom and Unity

VIRGINIA

Governor: James S. Gilmore, III Lt. Governor: John H. Hager

Secretary of the Commonwealth: Anne P. Petera

Attorney General: Mark L. Earley State Treasurer: Susan F. Dewey

Auditor of Public Accounts: Walter J. Kucharski Chief Justice Supreme Court: Harry L. Carrico

State Superintendent of Public Instruction: Dr. Paul Stapleton

Tax Commissioner: Danny M. Payne

Agriculture & Consumer Services Commissioner: J. Carlton

Courter, Jr.

State Health Commissioner: Anne Paterson, MD (Acting)

Comptroller: William E. Landsidle

Social Services Director: Clarence H. Carter
Corrections Director: Ronald J. Angelone
Adjutant General: Brigadier Claude A. Williams
Superintendent of State Police: M. Wayne Huggins
Game & Inland Fisheries Director: William L. Woodfin, Jr.
Labor & Industry Commissioner: John Mills Barr
Conservation & Recreation Director: David G. Brickley
Historic Resources Director: H. Alexander Wise, Jr.
Motor Vehicles Commissioner: Richard D. Holcomb
United States Senators: Charles S. Robb, John W. Warner
Representatives in Congress: Herbert H. Bateman, Thomas J.

Bliley, Jr., Norman Sisisky, Virgil H. Goode, Jr., Frederick C. Boucher, Frank R. Wolf, Thomas M. Davis, III, Robert C. Scott, James P. Moran, Jr., Robert W. Goodlatte, Owen B. Pickett Legislature: Convenes second Wednesday in January each year. Sessions are 60 days in even-numbered years; sessions are 45 days in odd-numbered years. Membership: Senate 40; House of

Delegates, 100. Speaker of the House: Thomas W. Moss, Jr.

Capital: Richmond
Population: 6,377,100
Area: 39,704 square miles
Nickname: The Old Dominion

Motto: Sic Sember Tyrannis (Thus Ever To Tyrants)

WASHINGTON

Governor: Gary Locke Lt. Governor: Brad Owen Secretary of State: Ralph Munro

Auditor: Brian Sonntag Treasurer: Mike Murphy

Attorney General: Christine Gregoire

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Terry Bergeson

Insurance Commissioner: Deborah Senn Chief Justice Supreme Court: Barbara Durham Director of Agriculture: Jim Jesernig

Commissioner of Public Lands: Jennifer Belcher Director of Transportation: Sid Morrison Director of Fish & Wildlife: Jeff Koenings Director of Ecology: Tom Fitzsimmons

Secretary of Social & Health Services: Lyle Quasim Director of Employment Security: Carven Gayton

Director of Community Trade & Economic Development: John

Anderson

Director of Labor & Industries: Gary Moore

Director of Parks: Cleve Pinnix

Director of Emergency Services: Linda Burton-Ramsey Adjutant General: Major General Gregory Barlow United States Senators: Slade Gordon, Patty Murray

Representatives in Congress: Rick White, George Nethercutt, Jack Metcalf, Doc Hastings, Linda Smith, Adam Smith, Norman

D. Dicks, Jim McDermott, Jennifer Dunn

Legislature: Convenes second Monday in January each year. Membership: Senate, 49; House of Representatives, 98.

Capital: Olympia Population: 5,516,800 Area: 66,786 square miles Nickname: Evergreen State

Motto: Al-Ki (Indian word meaning Bye and Bye)

WEST VIRGINIA

Governor: Cecil H. Underwood Secretary of State: Ken Hechler State Treasurer: John D. Perdue State Auditor: Glen B. Gainer III Attorney General: Darrell McGraw

Commissioner of Agriculture: Gus Douglass

United States Senators: Robert C. Byrd, John D. Rockefeller IV Representatives in Congress: Robert "Bob" Wise, Alan B.

Mollohan, Nick Joe Rahall II

Legislature: Convenes second Wednesday after the first Monday in January for 60 days. Membership: Senate, 34; House of

Representatives, 100. Capital: Charleston Population: 1,811,156 Area: 24,282 square miles

Motto: Montani Semper Liberi (Mountaineers Are Always Free)

WISCONSIN

Governor: Tommy G. Thompson Lt. Governor: Scott McCallum Secretary of State: Douglas LaFollette State Treasurer: Jack Voight Attorney General: James Doyle

Superintendent of Public Instruction: John Benson Chief Justice Supreme Court: Shirely Abrahamson Public Service Commission, Chairman: Ave M. Bie Dept. of Insurance, Commissioner: Connie O'Connell Dept. of Financial Institutions, Secretary: Richard L. Dean Dept. of Financial Institutions, Division of Banking: Michael J.

Mach

Dept. of Administration, Secretary: Mark Bugher Dept. of Employment Relations, Secretary: Peter Fox Emergency Government Administrator: Steven D. Sell Adjutant General: Brigadier General James G. Blaney United States Senators: Herbert Kohl, Russ Feingold Representatives in Congress: Ron Kind, Gerald Kleczka, Tom

Barrett, David R. Obey, Thomas E. Petri, F. James

Sensenbrenner, Jr., Tammy Baldwin, Mark Green, Paul Ryan Legislature: Convenes first Monday in January in odd-numbered years. Sessions not limited. Membership: Senate, 33; Assembly, 99.

Capital: Madison Population: 5,000,000 Area: 56,426 square miles Nickname: Badger State

Motto: Forward

WYOMING

Governor: Jim Geringer

Secretary of State: Joseph B. Meyer State Treasurer: Cynthia Lummis State Auditor: Max Maxfield Attorney General: Gay Woodhouse

Superintendent of Public Instruction: Judy Catchpole Chief Justice Supreme Court: Larry Lehman Commissioner of Insurance: John P. McBride

Superintendent & Chief Engineer of Highway Commission: Gene

Roccabruna

State Bank Examiner: Bruce Hendrickson State Engineer: Gordon W. Fassett

Adjutant General: Major General Charles J. Wing United States Senators: Craig Thomas, Michael B. Enzi

Representative in Congress: Barbara Cubin

Legislature: The general session shall convene on the second Tuesday of January of the odd-numbered years and shall not exceed 40 legislative working days. The budget session shall convene on the third Monday of February of the even-numbered years and shall not exceed 20 legislative working days.

Membership: Senate, 30; House of Representatives, 60.

Capital: Cheyenne

Population: 453,588 (1990 Census)

Area: 97,914 square miles

Nickname: Equality State, Wonderful Wyoming

Motto: Equal Rights